

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
ANIMAL AND PLANT HEALTH INSPECTION SERVICE



OFFICIAL WARNING
VIOLATION OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS

CASE NO.
KY09071-AC

VIOLATOR
Laurie Johnson

ADDRESS (Street, City, State, Zip Code)

316 Carl Lay Lane
Harrodsburg, KY 40330

The Department of Agriculture has evidence that on or about April 17, 2009, you or your organization committed the following violation of Federal law:

Entered for the purpose of showing or exhibiting, the horse "Wicked Bourbon Street" at the 2009 Spring Jubilee Charity Horse Show which was found sore.

The Horse Protection Act prohibits the following conduct:

15 U.S.C. § 1824(2) Unlawful Acts

"The (A) showing or exhibiting, in any horse show or horse exhibition, of any horse which is sore, (B) entering for the purpose of showing or exhibiting in any horse show or horse exhibition, any horse which is sore, (C) selling, auctioning, or offering for sale, in any horse sale or auction, any horse which is sore, and (D) allowing any activity described in clause (A), (B), or (C) respecting a horse which is sore by the owner of such horse."

Titles 7 & 9 Code of Federal Regulations were promulgated to help prevent the spread of animal and plant pests and diseases and assure the humane treatment of animals. Since the violations of the regulations can have serious and costly impact detrimental to the public interest, you are warned of this violation. Any further violation of these regulations may result in the assessment of a civil penalty or criminal prosecution. If you have any questions concerning this warning or violation, please contact the listed APHIS official.

APHIS OFFICIAL (Name, Title)

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SIGNATURE

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11/16/2010

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